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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| <i>In re</i> application of: |) | |
| |) | Docket No. MIPFP080 |
| Toshihiro SHIMA et al. |) | |
| |) | Examiner: A. Nguyen |
| Application No. 10/789,416 |) | |
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| |) | Date: March 31, 2009 |
| For: DEVICE ACCOUNTING |) | |
| SYSTEM |) | Confirmation No. 5260 |
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the Final Office Action dated December 31, 2008. Please amend this application as follows:

The **Amendments to the Claims** made herein are reflected in the **Listing of Claims**, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Applicants' **Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.

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/Allen Nguyen/
04/05/2009